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Darsi Foss
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Tony Koblinski
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Madison, Wisconsin 53704

Re: *Madison-Kipp Corporation, 201 Waubesa Street, Madison, Wisconsin; Status of Onsite PCB Remediation Agreement*

Dear Ms. Foss and Mr. Koblinski:

I am writing to determine the status of the proposed settlement between the Wisconsin Department of Natural Resources (WDNR) and the Madison-Kipp Corporation, Madison, Wisconsin (MKC) intended to address the onsite PCB contamination at MKC's facility located at 201 Waubesa Street, Madison, Wisconsin. In addition, I am writing to request a meeting between all of the parties to the proposed agreement, at the offices of the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5 (EPA) in Chicago, Illinois. The goal of this meeting is to facilitate the completion of the proposed Stipulation and Order for Judgement (SOJ), to the extent it is not ready to be promptly executed and filed. As you are aware, EPA is anticipating WDNR's resolution of this matter under the State of Wisconsin's NR 700 rules pursuant to the November 27, 2006 One Cleanup Program Memorandum of Agreement between the State of Wisconsin and EPA.

Representatives of EPA, WDNR and MKC met in Janesville, Wisconsin on August 27, 2014 to discuss the conceptual proposed remedy to address the PCB contamination at MKC's facility. Almost two years have passed since this meeting and WDNR and MKC have yet to finalize a legally binding agreement that addresses the PCB contamination at the MKC site. While EPA presumes the parties continue to negotiate in good faith in this matter, EPA suggests that the time has come for the parties to promptly finalize the proposed agreement that addresses the PCB contamination at the MKC site.

Accordingly, I would like to meet with representatives of WDNR and MKC at EPA's offices in Chicago for the purpose of discussing the finalization of the proposed SOJ. We would like to meet with you on September 8, 2016 at 9:30 AM (central). If you are unable to attend on this date, then please provide alternate dates you would be available during the following two week period.

We look forward to working with WDNR and MKC to finalize the resolution to this matter.

Sincerely,

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